

hereby reappropriated for the above-named purpose, and such further sum as may be necessary is hereby authorized to be appropriated.

The Vice President, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the Architect of the Capitol are authorized to institute condemnation proceedings, if necessary, in order to secure any or all of the land herein authorized to be acquired. If such condemnation proceedings are deemed necessary, they shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved August 30, 1890, providing a site for the enlargement of the Government Printing Office (Statutes at Large, volume 26, chapter 837).

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Condemnation proceedings if necessary.

Procedure.

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CHAP. 661.—An Act Setting aside Rice Lake and contiguous lands in Minnesota for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota.

June 23, 1926.

[S. 1613.]

[Public, No. 418.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be, and is hereby, created within the limits of the White Earth Indian Reservation in the State of Minnesota a reserve to be known as Wild Rice Lake Reserve, for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota, which reserve shall include Rice Lake and the following described contiguous lands, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 8 in township 145 north, range 38 west, and running due east to the northeast corner of southeast quarter of section 9; thence south to northeast corner of northeast quarter of section 16; thence due east to northeast corner of northeast quarter of section 14, township 145 north, range 38 west; thence due south to southeast corner of northeast quarter of section 2, township 144 north, range 38 west; thence due west to southwest corner of northwest quarter of section 3 of said township and range; thence due north to southwest corner of northwest quarter of section 15, township 145 north, range 38 west; thence due west to southwest corner of northwest quarter of section 16; thence due north to northwest corner of northwest quarter of said section 16; thence west to southwest corner of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 8; thence north to point of beginning, which, excluding the lake bed, contains approximately four thousand five hundred acres.

White Earth Indian Reservation, Minn.
Creation of Wild Rice Lake Reserve in, for use of Chippewa Indians.

Description.

SEC. 2. All unallotted and undisposed of lands within the area described in section 1 hereof are hereby permanently withdrawn from sale or other disposition and are made a part of said reserve, and the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to acquire by purchase any lands within said area now owned by the State of Minnesota or in private ownership at a price not to exceed \$5 per acre, and to acquire from private owners by condemnation proceedings, in accordance with the laws of the State of Minnesota relating to the condemnation of private property for public use, any lands within said area which can not be purchased at the price herein named; the purchase price and costs of acquiring said lands to be paid out of the trust fund standing to the credit of all the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota in the Treasury of the United States upon warrants drawn by the Secretary of the Interior.

Undisposed of lands made part of reserve.

State and privately owned lands in area to be acquired.

Payment for, from trust funds of Chippewas in Minnesota.

SEC. 3. The reserve hereby created shall be maintained for the exclusive use and benefit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota under the supervision of the Secretary of the Interior and under rules and regulations to be prescribed by the said Secretary.

Maintenance for exclusive use of the Chippewas.

Approved, June 23, 1926.